

## Iron County Register

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IRONTON, MISSOURI.  
THURSDAY, MAY 13, 1910.

### Announcements.

Primary Election, Tuesday, August 2, 1910.

We are authorized to announce E. L. BARNHOUSE as a candidate for Collector of Iron county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce REDMOND BLACK as a candidate for Collector of Iron county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce JAMES LEWIS as a candidate for Presiding Judge of the County Court of Iron county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

We are authorized to announce O. W. ROOP as a candidate for Probate Judge of Iron county, subject to the action of the Democratic voters at the Primary Election.

### LAST CALL.

The response to our Notice to Subscribers has been gratifying. A very few yet remain on the delinquent list, whose names will necessarily be dropped unless heard from before the next issue.

### LOCAL BRIEVITIES.

Probate court is in session this week.

For Sale.—Two fine fresh milch cows. Phone 34.

The \$7.50 Men's Spring Suit at Brown's is a wonder.

P. W. Whitworth has moved back to Ironton from St. Louis.

Thirteen cars of strawberries from Arkansas in one train last week.

The county clerk's notice of primary election is printed this week.

There are a number of cases of measles among the children in the valley.

It looks like the "boosters"—did we say boosters or graters?—are about to overdo the thing.

If you want the best in Paints, Oils and Varnishes, buy the Sherwin-Williams Brand at Lopez's.

H. J. Lewis sold one of his registered Airedale Terrier pups to W. H. Crumb, of Chicago, for \$25, last week.

Albert Polak will run a moving picture show in the Academy of Music while the land congress is in session.

Prof. Hanson and Miss Dora Hinsdale have been re-employed to teach the Pilot Knob public school the ensuing year.

W. G. Patton arrived home from Nashville last Friday. He has gone to Cape Girardeau, where he is thinking of locating.

Strayed—Red and white cow, with notches in under side of both ears, about six years old; likely to have calf. Please notify R. C. Marks, Ironton, Mo.

Hugh Bradley, we are glad to state, is in much better health than he has been for some time past, and his friends hope that he is on the way to complete recovery.

Called meeting Star of the West Lodge, No. 133, A. F. & A. M., Saturday evening, May 14th. All members urged to attend.

MANN RINGO, Sec'y.

Rev. W. W. Strother leaves Des Arc next week to be absent about three months holding revival services. The first meeting will be held in the lead belt in St. Francois county.

FOR SALE—Will sell first-class sawmill, reasonable price. 35-horse power, new boiler, and 25-horse power engine, and other machinery in good condition. Ready to run. Apply to A. E. Bisch, Hogan, Mo.

State Senator John L. Bradley has announced for the Democratic nomination for Collector of St. Francois county. A half dozen other men are after the same place. It is said to be worth about \$4,000 a year.

Jas. V. Webb and W. N. Bainbridge last week sold their farm, known as the Elgan place, west of town, to Barney Leimiller, of Hays, Kansas. Price paid, \$6,000. Webb and Bainbridge bought the place a year or more ago from Horace A. Smith.

Thomas Hill, for so many years a resident of Iron county but now living in Bismarck, had business in Ironton Monday. Mr. Hill says Bismarck is not like Iron county and that we need not be surprised to see him coming back home some of these days soon. We hope so.

The announcement of Redmond Black as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Collector of Iron county is printed in this issue of the REGISTER. Mr. Black is a resident of the extreme west end of the county and is held in high esteem by those who know him best. A number of years ago he filled the office of Assessor of Reynolds county and it is said he made a good record. He respectfully asks the voters to give his claims careful consideration.

At the regular meeting of the city council Monday evening the Mayor announced the following appointments: City Clerk, W. H. Fisher; Assessor, Henry Adolph; Treasurer, Mann Ringo; Collector, J. M. Hawkins. The appointments were confirmed, and after the transaction of some other matters council adjourned.

Robert Hill left here about noon Friday with a horse for Hayes Malugen at Poplar Bluff, which Mr. Malugen had bought from Dave McKinney in Bellevue. Mr. Hill arrived at his destination early Saturday. He says he believes that the horse is as good an animal as ever left the county.

County court adjourned Friday after being in session five days. The proceedings are published on the first page. The last item in Thursday's proceedings reads: "J. A. Reymann, postmaster, \$15." It should be \$6 instead of \$15. Court adjourned until July 22d when the judges will be appointed for the primary election.

At the meeting of the city council Monday night Councilman Huff presented an ordinance which provides for changing the charter of the city to that of a city of the fourth class. The city has always operated under a special charter enacted by the legislature. The ordinance was read for the first time. Another ordinance offered was one making dramshop license \$250 per year.

Sheriff Marshall and Deputy Ben Blanton went to St. Louis Sunday, taking with them Arthur Beyer, the boy who had both legs cut off by a train near Middlebrook a couple of months since. At St. Louis the crippled boy was turned over to his brother and sister who had come from Belleville, Ill., their home, to take charge of him. Beyer's misfortune cost Iron county about \$300. In view of the fact that never in his life had he been a resident here it seems manifestly unjust that this county had to bear the expense.

Drs. Shy and Fitzpatrick performed a very difficult and dangerous operation on Lige White last Friday. Mr. White had been suffering with fistula for six years, and the disease was gradually growing worse. It is said that the disease is very dangerous and that a permanent cure can only be effected by an operation. The operation was very successful and the doctors are to be complimented. Mr. White will be ready to go home in a couple of weeks. He is doing fine.—Centerville Outlook.

Jehu Jones' petition for dramshop license at Middlebrook was refused by the county court last Thursday because the petition lacked one name of having a majority of the tax payers of the town. It seems Mr. Jones did have one majority, but one name on the petition had been placed there by a woman's husband, without written authority from her so to do. Although it was admitted that the act of the husband was in perfect accord with the wishes of the wife, the court held the petition faulty, and license was refused.

Following is the list of articles in Needlework to be given first and second prizes at the W. M. D. A. Needlework Display, May 24th and 25th: Apron, Quilt (patchwork), Bedspread (knit), Bedspread (crochet), Lace (knit), Colored Embroidery, most unique Novelty, Mending, Darning, Painting (tapestry), Stenciling, Tatting, Pyrography, Wallachian, Lace Crochet, Battenburg, Hardanger, Eyelet, Shadow, Shiraz, Suite, Sofa Pillow, and White Embroidery. All exhibits will be cheerfully received by Mrs. Wm. Gross, Chairman, Ironton, Mo.

Linus M. Fox died at his home in Pilot Knob, this morning at 12:40 o'clock, at the age of seventy-three. He had been confined to his room for a couple of weeks and a few days ago it was apparent that the end was near. Mr. Fox came to Iron county fifteen years ago, and for a number of years conducted the American Hotel in this city. The funeral occurred from the residence Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, and interment will take place in the K. P. cemetery, Ironton. To the bereaved we extend our sympathy. An obituary will be printed later.

Frank E. Mount, the well known marble dealer residing in the north part of the city, established a precedent Sunday, so far as this part of the country is concerned. Mr. Mount has a fine strawberry patch in his garden, and notwithstanding the cold weather of the past two or three weeks he says it is yielding. Sunday he awoke to find a light snow falling and gathering a pall he proceeded to his garden and plucking a few of the ripest berries. Mrs. Mount prepared a strawberry short-cake for dinner. Rather odd—picking strawberries in the snow.—Stikeston Hornet.

W. R. Read, the veteran merchant at Bellevue, died in the State Hospital at Farmington last Wednesday. The remains were taken to Potosi where interment occurred Friday. Mr. Read had been in very poor health for several months and was taken to the asylum about ten days previous to his death. The deceased had been engaged in the mercantile business at Bellevue for probably thirty-five years. He was a good man and in his long business career seldom did he refuse an appeal for assistance. May he rest in peace. To the bereaved widow we extend sympathy.

A game of base ball at Leeper, Mo., last Sunday between Leeper and Missouri Pacific of St. Louis, Mo., was witnessed by a large crowd of fans from the surrounding towns. The game resulted in a victory for Leeper, being 3 to 2.

Pitcher John Nation, a south paw from Des Arc, made a good pitching record of seventeen strike outs. The Missouri Pacific boys were unable to solve his slants and curves. Mr. Kaune, the hustling manager, has enclosed a nice ball park, and he insures the fans and patrons that he will give the public nice clean ball and that he expects to arrange with several good visiting teams for games for the summer.

At a meeting of the Ironton school board last Friday evening the following teachers were elected for the ensuing year: Principal, M. T. Connolly; 1st Assistant, Miss Ada Jones; 2d Assistant, Lora Bishop; teachers for third and fourth grades, Ada Barger. The election of a primary teacher was deferred until another meeting. Beatrice M. Russell was chosen as teacher of the colored school. The new principal, M. T. Connolly, comes from Franklin county and has long held front rank among the teachers of the state. He is a kinsman of Prof. M. W. Daugherty. Miss Jones, 1st assistant, is from Arkansas, and a niece of our fellow townsman, Dr. H. M. Jones. Misses Bishop and Barger are well known as successful teachers. Prof. C. B. McClintock, Principal for the past year, was not an applicant for reappointment.

After deliberating for almost 48 hours the jury in the circuit court in the case of James Oliver, charged with fraudulent voting, last Wednesday afternoon reported to Judge Williams that they were unable to agree and were discharged. It is said that the jury stood seven for acquittal and five for conviction. The state announced ready for another trial, but the defense asked a continuance. This the prosecuting attorney refused to agree to, and then the attorneys for the defendant filed an application for change of venue, with affidavits from Rev. Fuller Swift, of Ironton, and J. N. Stewart, of the west end of the county, alleging that the defendant could not secure a fair and impartial trial in Iron county. As the hearing of this application would require the attendance of witnesses from all parts of the county and involve further expense and delay, Prosecuting Attorney Damron concluded to agree to a continuance, if the defendant would withdraw the application for a change of venue. To this the defense readily agreed; and the case was continued until the next regular term—rather conclusive evidence the defense wanted delay, that's all. After transacting some other business court adjourned, having been in session just nine days.

### Southeast Missouri Holiness College.

Third Annual Commencement Exercises, Thursday and Friday, May 12th and 13th, 1910, Des Arc, Mo.

THURSDAY EVENING, 8:00 O'CLOCK.  
DUEL—Misses Orpha Davis and Zella Strother.  
ESSAY, "Sowing and Reaping"—Miss Myrtle Rowland.  
PIANO SOLO—Ella Myers.  
RECITATION—Chester Caldwell.  
RECITATION—Zella Strother.  
DUEL—Miss Lina Farr and Miss Eva Stevenson.  
DECLARATION, "The First Gentleman"—Mr. Fred Roberts.  
PIANO SOLO—Lena Stevenson.  
ESSAY, "The Importance of Keeping Busy"—Miss Gertrude Smith.  
RECITATION—Miss Aylona Chilton.  
DUEL—Gusta James and Miss Zella Strother.  
BIOGRAPHY, "Washington Irving"—Miss Lora Sena.  
PIANO SOLO—Lena Wallis.  
RECITATION—Miss Lena Stevenson.  
ORATION, "Religion"—Mr. Jesse Jackson.  
DUEL—Miss Clara Pass and Miss Edna Smith.  
A FAVORITE—Miss Orpha Davis.  
Song—Class.  
Friday afternoon, at 3:00 o'clock—Primary Department Exercises.  
FRIDAY EVENING—8:00 O'CLOCK.  
PIANO SOLO—Miss Orpha Davis.  
ORATION, "No Cross, No Crown"—Miss Lina Farr.  
DUEL—Lena Stevenson and Ella Myers.  
ORATION, "Education"—Mr. John Swann.  
ESSAY, "The Price of a Soul"—Cora Sutton.  
PIANO SOLO—Miss Zella Strother.  
ORIGINAL STORY, "A Misspent Life"—Miss Annie Wallis.  
DECLARATION, "Rights and Duties"—Mr. Henry Clifton.  
LAUREL QUARTET.  
ORATION, "Hope"—Miss Ora Lovelace.  
SOLILOQUY—Miss Daisy McCormick.  
DUEL—Miss Orpha Davis and Miss Zella Strother.  
ORATION, "Royal Womanhood"—Miss Norma McCormick.  
DUEL—Miss Clara Pass, Miss Orpha Davis and Miss Zella Strother.

No hams so sweet and juicy as Waldeck's. Try them. At Valley Meat Market.

### PERSONAL.

Walter Nagel was in St. Louis last week.

Miss Bessie Gillam was in St. Louis last week.

A. L. Schwab and wife were in St. Louis last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Edgar were in St. Louis last week.

H. A. Nall and wife returned to Jefferson City Sunday.

A. Block of Bismarck was in Ironton last Wednesday.

Mrs. M. A. Ake will be home from Arkansas this week.

Mrs. Wm. Trauernicht visited her son in De Soto the past week.

Mrs. W. J. Schwab is expected home from Louisiana in a few days.

Gus Kassemacher attended the farmers' convention in St. Louis last week.

Chas. L. Fox from Newport, Ark., and G. G. Fox from Jonesboro arrived Tuesday.

Aug. Grimm of O'Fallon, Ill., arrived in Ironton Tuesday on a visit to old-time friends.

Mann Ringo, Wm. H. Whitworth, J. L. Baldwin and Fred Kindel, Jr., are fishing at the Silver Mines this week.

The \$2.35 Ladies' Spring Skirt at Brown's is a wonder.

### Des Arc Items.

Rev. Judy filled his regular appointment at the Methodist church Sunday. I never go into that dear old church but what I think of bygone days when Bro. Chas. Collins and his family used to attend. There have been many changes since then; all new faces. Bro. Judy preached on temperance, and

## COUNTY GRADUATION EXERCISES.

The Class of 1910 of the several Public Schools of Iron County had its innings last Saturday afternoon and evening. The members of the Class are:

Boring, Victor  
Buehenschuetz, Herbert  
Calkins, Mae  
Collins, Frank  
Conway, Pearl  
Curtis, Lora  
Dennis, Napoleon  
Diamond, Blanche  
Dunn, Ida  
Ebrecht, Edith  
Francis, Josephine  
Francis, Mary  
Hawkins, Lora  
Hill, Frederick  
Hill, Lilla  
Kinball, Alta  
Kendall, Alma  
Kendall, Lena  
Landbeck, Herman  
Lova, Gladys  
Merritt, Ethel  
Mauzy, Virgie  
Moore, Edna  
Moore, Edward  
Morrison, Lilla  
Orr, Sarah  
Perry, Everett  
Polly, Laura  
Payne, Elsie  
Primer, Mary  
Plymer, Maude  
Pruitt, Chas. R.  
Ringo, Bryan  
Starklin, Bertha  
Stoner, Ethel  
Tucker, Ester  
Tollene, Lora  
White, Marie

The day's programme, herein given, was adhered to, notwithstanding the unpropitious weather. Fortunately, the march, led by the Baptist Boys Band, was made between showers, and no change of raiment was necessary to the health and comfort of the rank and file.

### PROGRAM.

Parade by School Children Saturday, at 2 o'clock P. M.  
Parade to start at the Ironton Public School Building and terminate at the Academy of Music, where the Program of Exercises will be rendered:

MUSIC—Baptist Boys Band  
Song—"America"  
SCHOOL CHILDREN  
ESSAY CONTEST  
"The Value of an Education"—Josephine Francis  
"The Value of an Education"—Alma G. Kendall  
"The Value of an Education"—Mary Prince  
"The Value of an Education"—Lilla Johnson  
"The Value of an Education"—Fred Hill  
VOCAL SOLO—"For Love's Sweet Sake"—Stella  
Miss Laura Coddling.  
"Missouri and Her Resources"—Roberta Lee Francis  
"The Value of an Education"—Ethel Stoner  
"Missouri and Her Resources"—Alta G. Kinball  
"The Value of an Education"—Lola Hawkins  
"Missouri and Her Resources"—H. Buehenschuetz  
MUSIC—Baptist Boys Band  
Song—"America"  
SCHOOL CHILDREN

### Declamatory Contest

AT THE  
ACADEMY OF MUSIC, AT 7:45 P. M.  
MUSIC—Orchestra  
HORN QUARTET—Raymond Buckley,  
Morris Huff, Harry Rudy, Walter Fisher.  
VOCAL QUARTET—"Awake with the Lark."  
ADDRESS TO THE ROMANS. Kiana—Mr. Edward Meade.  
THE BEAR STORY (Personation.) Riley—Miss Alma Kendall.  
CORNET SOLO—Miss Mary Prince  
A WARNING—Miss Blanche Diamond  
NINETY-EIGHT—Miss Edith Ebrecht  
DUET—Instrumental  
THE DESERTER. Mackie—Miss Roberta Francis  
MUSIC—Orchestra  
ADDRESS—"The Improvement of Our Rural Schools"—Prof. R. H. Emberson.  
MUSIC—Orchestra

### Presentation of Diplomas.

CORNET SOLO—George Bishop  
Presentation of Prizes.  
QUARTET—"Hail, Orpheus, Hail!"

The evening exercises were witnessed by an audience that taxed the capacity of the hall. The essays, recitations, solos and quartets, vocal and instrumental, were worthy the occasion. I never more pleasantly passed an evening of like character, and at its conclusion felt that Iron county might well take pride in its rising generation and in those having charge of its schools. The speech from Prof. Emberson was frequently applauded, as were the remarks of Prof. Smith, of Carleton College, Farmington, prefatory to the distribution of diplomas and prizes, which latter were awarded as follows:

SCHOLARSHIP.—First Prize, gold medal, to Alma G. Kendall; donated by B. P. Burnham. Second Prize, Whittier's Poems, to Virgie Mauzy; donated by B. P. Burnham.  
ESSAY.—First Prize, gold medal, to Alta G. Kendall; donated by J. M. Whitworth. Second Prize, one year's subscription to Iron County Register, to Frederick Hill; donated by the editor. Third Prize, Webster's Academic Dictionary, to Herbert Buehenschuetz; donated by B. P. Burnham.

DECLARATION.—First Prize, gold medal, to Edith Ebrecht; donated by Ironton Public School Board. Second Prize, Longfellow's Poems, to Alma G. Kendall; donated by B. P. Burnham.

WRITING CONTEST.—First Prize, fountain pen, to Virgie Mauzy; donated by Fuller Swift. Second Prize, one year's subscription to the Arcadia Valley Enterprise, to Pearl Conway; donated by Fuller Swift. The prizes were presented by Jesse M. Hawkins, with appropriate and well chosen comment. He was happy in manner and phrase.

made us a good talk. We had good singing, one song I especially will always love, (Jesus is so Precious to Me) I heard it sung on Arcadia Heights last summer by the Baptist people. The choir was led by Rev. Swift.

Mr. McKee, accompanied by a number of his older pupils, attended the county graduation exercises at Ironton Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Williams and daughter, Helen Gould, and Miss Maude Fitz are spending this week at home.

John Stevenson and family returned from Williamsville Saturday.

Mrs. John Keathley has returned from a visit with her son at Leeper.

Mrs. Eustis and daughter are visiting relatives at Hendrickson. Mrs. Thos. Bunday of Piedmont attended a bank meeting here one day last week.

"Hickory Ben," as we all know him, was married last week to a widow, Mrs. Roberts, of Piedmont. We wish him much happiness in his matrimonial venture.

Arthur Schmidt and Miss Gertrude Fitzpatrick were married last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Morris, Rev. W. W. Strother performing the ceremony. We wish them very much joy.

ISAAC.

Splendid new stock of J. C. C. Corsets from 50 cents to \$2, at Lopez's. Ask for the College Girl.

### Annapolis News.

Well, the weather is warming up.

Squire Kitchell, aged 65, and his bride, aged 27, are getting along finely and living at home to themselves, and invite their friends and relatives to pay them a visit when they can.

Frank M. Hubbard and Jennie Reynolds of Iron county were united in matrimony at the bride's mother's, Mrs. Hattie Reynolds, May 7th, at 5:30 P. M., Sylvester Kitchell, J. P., officiating.

About forty cars of ties have been shipped out of here the past two weeks.

George W. Hampton is building a store house for Gus Funk which S. Kitchell will occupy. It is on Front street, near the depot, and will be quite an improvement.

Ed Loyd will go fishing as soon as winter is over.

Mr. Brandt, foreman of the London Mercantile Co., caught some fine fish last week.

Wiley Williams has moved to Vulcan to engage in the manufacture of chairs and wagon felloes, etc. He has purchased a gasoline engine to run his machinery.

John R. Harris is on the sick list and unable to work.

Fred C. Kitchell who is in the Missouri Pacific hospital on account of a mashed finger, caused by coupling cars at Hoxie, Arkansas, will be home in a week, and has the promise of the local run

A straight, honest, healthful cream of tartar baking powder.

Made from Grapes.

Contains not a grain of injurious ingredient

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CREAM

# BAKING POWDER

Fifty Years the Standard

No Alum

No Lime Phosphate

Gracie May Kelley, little daughter of Warren and Jennie Kelley, while at play fell from the fence and was never conscious. The following day spinal meningitis set up and the end soon came. Gracie was a bright, intelligent child, and her father's favorite among their flock of seven children.

The box supper given Saturday night at the Sabula school house for the benefit of the church, was well attended regardless of the cold night. The net proceeds were \$12.60.

Don't forget the meeting to begin the 20th of May, and continues ten days. The Davis Bros. will have charge of the meeting and will be assisted by others from the Des Arc College during the meeting. Everybody invited.

It is rumored that Miss Ada Barger, of Ironton, will be employed to teach our school the coming term.

Mr. John Matkin, of Chico, California, is visiting C. Collins and family of Sabula. Mr. Matkin made his home with the Collins family for a period of time during his youth, and it is like the returning of the prodigal son for him to visit them. His friends here wish him success in his western home.

MARTHA.

FOR SALE—American Steel Poultry and Rabbit fencing, strong and durable, in 10 and 20 rod rolls, at 35 cents per rod.

W. E. BELL & SON, Bellevue, Mo.

When you want the best in seed potatoes, seed oats grass seeds, garden and flower seeds, go to Lopez's.

Weather Report.

Meteorological report of Voluntary Observer at Ironton, Iron county, Mo., for the week ending Tuesday, May 10, 1910:

| Days of Week.  | Temperature. |         | Precipitation. |
|----------------|--------------|---------|----------------|
|                | Highest.     | Lowest. |                |
| Wednesday..... | 4            | 33      | 45             |
| Thursday.....  | 5            | 67      | 33             |
| Friday.....    | 6            | 52      | 45             |
| Saturday.....  | 7            | 56      | 45             |
| Sunday.....    | 8            | 59      | 46             |
| Monday.....    | 9            | 81      | 41             |
| Tuesday.....   | 10           | 49      | 49             |

NOTE—The precipitation includes rain, hail, sleet and melted snow and is recorded in inches and hundredths. Ten inches of snow equal one inch of rain. "T" indicates trace of precipitation.

W. H. DELANO, Observer.

### EGGS FOR SETTING

From Good Laying R. I. Reds—Single Comb.

Pen No. 1, 10 cents each.  
Pen No. 2, 7 cents each.  
Can fill order from Strictly Fresh Eggs.

Write, call, or Phone 52 Bellevue Line.

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Also, a few good Cockerels for \$2.50 each.

If you want thoroughbred chickens, call or write the Thoroughbred Poultry Yard, Importers and breeders. Barred Rocks and Light Brahmas Cockerels for sale. Eggs in season. R. C. Marks, Manager, Ironton, Mo.

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Ayer's Sarsaparilla is not a strong drink. As now made, there is not a drop of alcohol in it. It is a non-alcoholic tonic and alterative. Ask your own doctor about your taking this medicine for thin, impure blood. Follow his advice every time. He knows.

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